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AMENDMENT ACCOMPANYING REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION

Sir:

This communication is accompanied by a Request for Continued Examination concerning the above-referenced patent application. This communication is responsive to the Final Office Action dated June 29, 2005 concerning the above-referenced patent application. By virtue of the accompanying request for an extension of time and payment of extension fees, the present deadline for responding to the action is October 29, 2005, which is a Saturday, making October 31, 2005, the extended due date. While no other fees are believed due, the PTO is authorized to invoice account No. 50-0220 for any charges deemed necessary or refunds.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this document. This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 7 of this document.

Please amend the application as follows.

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